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ALEXANDRIA, VA., TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 4, 1890.

PRICE 2 CTS.

## A GREAT SALE!

DO NOT FAIL TO ATTEND!

REMEMBER THE DATES!

THERE ARE LARGE AND QUICK PROFITS HERE.

Shrewd investors are turning their attention to new lots adjoining settled and prosperous cities, where trade channels are already fixed, and where there is substantial reality back of and under their money.

45 Passenger Trains Daily Between Washington and Alexandria Pass this Property.

Leave the train, Alexandria and Washington R. R., at St. Asaph Junction, where conveyances will be in waiting to carry you over the property. The streets and avenues are already graded.

## GRAND PUBLIC SALE OF LOTS

—BY THE—

### NORTH WEST ALEXANDRIA IMPROVEMENT COMPANY

ON THEIR BEAUTIFULLY LOCATED HEIGHTS, ADJOINING ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA,

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11th, 12th and 13th, 1890,

BEGINNING EACH DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

Make your arrangements at once, and let nothing deter you from attending this great sale. If not possible for you to do so, you can arrange with the General Manager, Mr. George Wise, No. 421 King street, Alexandria, Va., or with any of the officers or Directors of the company, by correspondence or by wire, at any time, previous to the day of sale, to secure one or more of these desirable lots. The character of these officers is a guarantee that you will be as well served in this way as if you were present at the sale.

COMPLETE MAPS UPON APPLICATION--SEND FOR ONE.

The Alexandria and Fairfax Electric Railway, under charter to build within one year, and the Washington city connection of the C. & O. R. R. both pass through the property.

TERMS OF SALE—Twenty per cent. cash; the balance in monthly instalments of five per cent.

You are extended a cordial invitation, and if you do not invest a pleasant time is promised you; the superb view from the heights will compensate you.

**BENONI WHEAT, President,** (President Citizens' National Bank) **JOSEPH BRODERS, Vice President,** (Wholesale Grocer and Vice President First National Bank.) **GEORGE W. FISHER, Treasurer,** (of Fisher & Bros., Grocers and Commission Merchants,

**GEORGE WISE, General Manager,** (of Wise & Co., Insurance Agents.

Directors—THOS. LEADBEATER, of E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Wholesale Druggists; JAS. CLINTON SMOOT, of C. C. Smoot & Sons, Tanners; GEORGE E. HILL, of George E. Hill & Co., Cracker Bakers; HENRY STRAUSS, Clothier and Director First National Bank; A. G. UHLER, of Wimsatt, Uhler & Co., Lumber and Building Material.

#### MEDICINAL.

**3 Preparations:**  
**Alterative,**  
**Tonic**  
**AND**  
**Expectorant**  
**Consumption Cured.**

THE JUDGE OF HANOVER COUNTY SPEAKS.

Tim. Howard suffered for three years with lung and throat troubles, and last spring was thought by his neighbors to be dying. I heard of his condition and gave him A. B. C. Tonic. Its effect was magical. In a very short time he was able to leave his bed, and now regards himself a well man. Others in this vicinity have taken the "Tonic" with pronounced benefit.

Very respectfully,  
S. C. REDD,  
Beaver Dam Depot, Hanover Co., Va.  
**SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.**  
Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases by mail free. Address  
**A. B. C. CHEMICAL CO.,**  
17 S. 12th ST., RICHMOND, VA.

#### BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

ESTABLISHED 1848.  
**GEORGE E. FRENCH'S SONS**

417 & 419 King st., Alexandria, Va.  
HEADQUARTERS  
for School and College Text Books and School Supplies of every description. We carry a larger and more varied stock of School Books than any other house in the South.

**FINE STATIONERY**  
We have on exhibition now a full line of high-class Paperettes, comprising all the new and elegant designs; also the very latest novelties in Fancy Papers.

**OUR SPECIALTIES**  
Fine Gold Pens and Pencils, Fountain Pens, Pocket Knives, Writing Desks, Binding Stationery, Card Plate Engraving, Fine Leather Goods, Pocketbooks, Card Cases, &c., &c.  
**STATIONERS' ARTS**  
a specialty. Our line cannot be equalled anywhere. We have the latest styles and best selected stock in the State. A good thing cannot be mentioned too often. Remember, we are headquarters for everything in our line.  
sep11 **GEORGE E. FRENCH'S SONS.**

#### MERCHANT TAILORS.

**WM. MURRAY**  
**MERCHANT TAILOR,**

517 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Inform his customers that he has received a Supply of Fall and Winter Goods.

And is now prepared to furnish SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES and on reasonable terms. ap23 1y

A LARGE LINE OF SPONGES just received at sep22 J. D. H. LUNT'S.

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#### Miscellaneous.

A buffalo calf was born at the National Museum in Washington on Saturday.

The famous picture "The Angelus," has been sold by the American Art Association to French parties for \$150,000, and will be returned to Paris.

A bill is to be offered in the House of Commons early after the reassembling of Parliament asking the pay of members of Commons \$900 a year. They get no pay now.

The commission appointed by the Pennsylvania Legislature to survey a route and report on the practicability of building a ship canal between Lake Erie and Pittsburgh, has decided to recommend such an enterprise. The State will, in turn, probably solicit aid from the national government in constructing such a waterway.

It is announced that the tea, as a social star, is twinkling in a last convulsive scintillation, prophetic of total extinction, and that soon even its fragrant memory will fade from the atmosphere of fashionable circles. The social flavor of tea is something of an antiquity, but as far as fashion is concerned its existence has been a variegated one.

A clause in the new French tariff bill provides that the President and cabinet have the power to retaliate as they choose upon articles exported to France by any country which discriminates against French products. The clause is obviously modeled to meet the American meat inspection bill, and is intended as a French answer to that measure.

Miss Lizzie O. Smith, widely known as "The Modern Martyr," died at her home in Williamstown, Conn., on Sunday. She was born at Eastford, Conn., December 23, 1822. She was unusually vigorous and active until she was eleven years of age, when she was prostrated by a violent cold, which developed a disease that settled in her limbs, making her a helpless invalid. She was wholly confined to her bed for nearly fifty-five years.

A special institute will be erected at the cost of the German government for Dr. Koch's experiment with his announced cure for consumption, the establishment being conducted on the same general plan as the Pasteur Institute. Professor Leyden, the well-known German physician, who is in the confidence of Koch, considers the latter's discovery of the highest value to humanity. It is said Dr. Koch's discovery is a chemical substance, which is injected into the body, and that it even checks cases of advanced tuberculosis.

The steamship Queensmore, Captain Trenery, arrived at Baltimore from Liverpool Saturday, with a general cargo. On the third day out a faint pigeon flew on board, and Steward Friess now has it, trying to tame it. The pigeon was evidently blown

off the Irish coast. Its tail was gone. On Saturday, the 25th, the Queensmore paralyzed a big whale. Captain Trenery tried to steer out of the way, but the whale was too close on, and the ship gave it a stunning glancing blow. The whale did not move, and the water soon became stained with blood.

**A MINISTER'S JOKE**—A minister, to get even with a sleepy congregation, sang out in a loud voice: "Wake up here; there is a man standing before you with half a shirt on his back." The sleepers awakened, and the sisters of the congregation presented him later on with a dozen span new shirts. He then explained that he really was not in need of the shirts. He had a whole shirt on when he made the announcement, but half was on his back and half on his front. All present smiled and enjoyed the joke, as they now saw it.

#### For Over Fifty Years.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC and is the best remedy for DIARRHŒA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

#### MEDICINAL.

### Wake Up.

If you wake up in the morning with a bitter or bad taste in your mouth, Languor, Dull Headache, Despondency, Constipation, take Simmons' Liver Regulator. It corrects the bilious stomach, sweetens the breath and cleanses the furred tongue. Children as well as adults sometimes eat something that does not digest well, producing Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Restlessness, or Sleeplessness—a good dose of Regulator will give relief. So perfectly harmless is this remedy that it can be taken by the youngest infant or the most delicate person without injury, no matter what the condition of the system may be. It can do no harm if it does no good, but its reputation for 40 years proves it never fails in doing good.

**WAX STRINGS** will be found to be the best and simplest way of sealing fruit jars and cans. For sale by **ERNEST L. ALLEN,** aug25 Cor. King and Pitt sts

#### FOR SALE AND RENT.

**FOR RENT.**  
HOUSE 216 south Washington street, and HOUSE 924 Duke street. Apply to oct27 tf **JOHN T. NALLS,** 820 King st.

**FOR SALE.**  
TWO MODERN BRICK DWELLINGS, situated on the west side of Colne has street, between King and Cameron, directly facing Christ Church. Terms reasonable. Apply to oct11 tf **O. C. CARLIN,** Room No. 2 Mark Building.

**FOR SALE AT A GREAT BARGAIN.**  
A FINE, LARGE, THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING on Patrick street, between King and Prince; 10 rooms, with all necessary conveniences, and in good order; also stable in rear on large lot. **O'NEAL & LUNT,** Real Estate Agents. oct11

**FINE BUILDING LOT** on St. Asaph street, between Cameron and Queen, for sale. Lot 26 feet 9 inches by 125 feet deep. This is one of the best building lots in the city. **O'NEAL & LUNT,** Real Estate Agents. oct11

**FOR RENT.**  
TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 817 Duke street; gas and water.  
TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 819 Duke street; gas and water.  
TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE No. 821 Duke street; gas and water. Apply to No. 400 Prince street. jol3 tf

**VALUABLE DWELLING AND WAREHOUSE PROPERTY IN ALEXANDRIA FOR SALE.**  
1. THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING, with garden, stable, &c., on the west side of St. Asaph street, between Prince and Duke streets, late the residence of Wm. N. McVeigh, dead.  
2. THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLING and LOT adjoining on the north.  
3. TWO BRICK DWELLINGS northwest corner of Cameron and Alfred streets.  
4. THREE BRICK WAREHOUSES AND WHARF PRIVILEGES attached on the east side of Union and north side of Prince street, extending through from Union to the river—part of the real estate of which said McVeigh died seized. For price and terms apply to **S. FERGUSON BEACH,** jol4 cot Executor of Wm. N. McVeigh, dead

#### VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

ONE TRACT OF LAND, 446 acres, 2½ miles from Alexandria on the Mount Vernon road, the survey of the Mount Vernon Avenue passing through the place. This property is well calculated for gardening and dairy purposes, being well watered, and has a frontage on the Potomac River of 2 miles; also unsurpassed scenery overlooking both the cities of Alexandria and Washington. Persons seeking investments will find it to their advantage to examine this land.  
2d. 124 ACRES and another of 52½ ACRES, about 4 miles from the city, not far from the above described property.  
Perhaps there is no land on the market at this time offering greater advantages to seekers of profit than the above named property. For description and terms apply to **Miss KATIE M. G. JOHNSON,** 514 Cameron street Or to **O'NEAL & LUNT,** Real Estate Brokers, No. 103 Fairfax st., bet. Cameron and King. aug27 T.F.&S.tf

**FOR RENT.**  
THIRTY ACRES OF LAND, lying immediately in front of the Theological Seminary, adjoining the farm of Wm. Cleveland. Apply at this office. sep15 tf

**LAUNDRY WAX**—An elegant, smooth and glossy finish put on your linen by the use of Laundry Wax. Five cents a cake. For sale by **ERNEST L. ALLEN,** feb10 Cor. King and Pitt streets.

#### BOOTS AND SHOES.

Change of Business.

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When the new year (1891) sets in we mean to have our entire stock of BOOTS, SHOES, DRY GOODS and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS reduced as much as our great efforts can accomplish; and in order to be able to gain that object, we will commence on Saturday, the 25th instant, and offer for sale everything in our store at prices which will astound everybody. We intend making considerable alterations and improvements in our store, and when finished we will add new and different lines of goods in the various departments.

Our Combination an Assured Success.

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Dont miss this golden opportunity. Come early, so as to have the first choice from our assorted stock of everything in the line of BOOTS, SHOES, DRY GOODS, LADIES' and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, TRUNKS, SATCHELS, &c., &c. Our line of ALEXANDRIA SHOES, made by the Potomac Shoe Company will be kept up and sized up every day, as we intend in the future, as in the past, to aim to make home enterprise a success.

### KAUFMANN'S DOUBLE COMBINATION STORE

#### LAND COMPANIES.

### COLUMBIA HEIGHTS.

North West Alexa. Improvement Co.,

**BENONI WHEAT, President.** **GEORGE WISE, Sec. and Gen. Manager.**  
**DIRECTORS.**  
**BENONI WHEAT,** **JOSEPH BRODERS,** **GEORGE W. FISHER,** **HENRY STRAUSS,**  
**J. CLINTON SMOOT,** **GEORGE E. HILL,** **A. G. UHLER,** **GEORGE WISE,**  
**THOMAS LEADBEATER.**

**Contracts Closed for Opening and Grading Streets and Avenues**  
**Grand sale of lots in November.**

**BEAUTIFUL SITES FOR SUBURBAN RESIDENCES.**  
**ST. ASAPH JUNCTION, WASHINGTON SOUTHERN R. W.,**  
About 8 minutes' walk from the property.  
**STOCK FOR SALE AT NO. 421 KING STREET.**  
**A BIG INVESTMENT.**

#### WOOD AND COAL.

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LAY IN YOUR COAL AND WOOD FOR WINTER.

We wish to call the attention of our customers and the public to the fact that now is the time to lay in your coal for the winter. We are receiving direct from the mines the best grades of different kinds of coal, as follows:  
**SIZE NO. 1 FURNACE; NO. 2 EGG; NO. 3 STOVE; NO. 4; NO. 5 NUC.**  
(2240 POUNDS TO THE TON)  
Call and examine. Coal under cover and well screened. Main office—corner Duke and Fairfax streets. Wharf and yards between Prince and Duke streets.

**HEWES & MITCHESON.**  
jyl7 4m TELEPHONE No. 95

#### DELIVERY

COCKROACH, BEG-BUG AND BAT PASTE

Just received by **WASP-FIELD & HALL**

jyl1 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**BISHOP'S FOOD FOR MOCKING BIRDS.** Try it. **ERNEST L. ALLEN,** Cor. King and Pitt sts. aug25

#### J. D. H. LUNT,

agent for the Celebrated

**ASHLEY BROMIDE OF ARSENIC WATER**

(sep25)

**The Great Indian Oil & Sagwa**

For sale by **J. D. H. LUNT.** nov22